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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir/Madam:

This Response is related to the Office Action mailed March 19, 2008, for which a one month statutory period was set for reply. Applicants request a two month extension of time for reply pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a).

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